GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – B.C.Welfare Department – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against (i) Sri K. Ramesh, HWO, Govt.B.C.Welfare Boys Hostel, Kondapuram Village & Mandal, S.P.S.R.Nellore District (ii) Sri SK. Jabbar, formerly HWO Govt.B.C.Welfare Boys Hostel, Kondapuram Village & Mandal, S.P.S.R.Nellore District and (iii) Sri D. Ankaiah, ABCWO (FAC) (now Retired), Kavali on certain allegations of irregularities in improper maintenance of Govt.B.C.Welfare Boys Hostel, Kondapuram(V&M), SPSR Nellore District – Inquiry conducted – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

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BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE (VIG.D) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 108 **Dated: 28-06-2018**
Read the following :-

1) From the Director General, ACB, A.P., Hyderabad, Letter C.No.127/DES-NNL/2015, Dated:06-05-2016.
2) Govt.Memo No.1019/Vig.D1/2016-1, Dated:18-06-2016.
3) Govt.Memo No.1019/Vig.D1/2016-2, Dated:07-08-2017.
4) Charge Memo No.E/1671/2016, Dated:19-10-2016 of Director of B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.
5) Procgs.No.A1/275/2015, Dated:28-02-2017 of the Collector & District Magistrate, S.P.S.R.Nellore District.
6) Procgs.No.A1/275/2015, Dated:28-02-2017 of the Collector & District Magistrate, S.P.S.R.Nellore District.
7) Written statements of defence submitted by the C.Os viz. Sri K. Ramesh, HWO, Sri SK. Jabbar, HWO and Sri D. Ankaiah, ABCWO.
8) Procgs.No.A1/275/2015, Dated:23-02-2017 of the Collector & District Magistrate, S.P.S.R.Nellore District.
9) Inquiry Report dt.28-06-2017 of the Inquiry Officer, DTWO, S.P.S.R. Nellore District.
10) From the Collector & District Magistrate, S.P.S.R.Nellore District, Letter No.A1/275/2015, Dated16-09-2017 addressed to the Director of B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.
11) From the Director of B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada, Letter No.E/1671/2016, Dated:06-10-2017.
12) G.O.Ms.No.33, B.C.Welfare(Vig.D1)Dept., Dated:13-11-2017.
13) G.O.Rt.No.161, B.C.Welfare(Vig.D1)Dept., Dated:13-11-2017.
14) From the Director of B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada, Letter No.E1/1671/2016, Dated:29-03-2018.

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O R D E R:

On the allegation of misappropriation of diet charges meant for boarders and fabrication of attendance register of boarders by inflating the attendance, the ACB authorities have conducted a surprise check on Govt. B.C.Welfare Boys Hostel, Kondapuram Village & Mandal, S.P.S.R.Nellore District on 12-09-2015. In the surprise check, the ACB authorities have found that:-

a) Sri K. Ramesh, HWO, Govt. B.C.Welfare Boys Hostel, Kondapuram Village & Mandal, S.P.S.R.Nellore District, had shown the total strength of boarders as 139 in boarder's attendance register showing present for 131 to 139 boarders for the period from 15-08-2015 to 11-09-2015. But the actual strength physically present during surprise check was only 78 and misappropriated the amount of Rs.18,706/-. He has not been maintaining records update. He has also stayed outside the headquarters ;

b) The former HWO Sri Shaik Jabbar, who worked upto 14-08-2015 has shown the strength of the boarders 169 for the month of June, 2015 and given attendance to 150 to 162 boarders. For the months July and August, 2015, he has shown the strength of the boarders as 162 and given attendance 155 to 162 boarders for the month of July, 2015 and 139-155 for the month of August, 2015 (1st to 14th August, 2015). Thereby, the HWOs had been drawing diet charges for them and misappropriating the Government funds of Rs.18,509/-;

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c) Sri D. Ankaiah, ABCWO (FAC), Kavali inspected the said hostel only once on 17-07-2015. It appears both ABCWO and HWOs colluded with each other and causing huge loss to the exchequer of the Government by inflating the actual boarders strength of the hostel.

2) In the surprise check report, the Director General, ACB, A.P. has recommended to initiate departmental action against (1) SO-1 Sri K. Ramesh, HWO, Govt.B.C.Welfare Boys Hostel, Kondapuram(V&M), SPSR Nellore District, (2) SO-2 Sri Shaik Jabbar, former HWO, Govt.B.C.Welfare Boys Hostel, Kondapuram(V&M), SPSR Nellore District and (3) SO-3 Sri D. Ankaiah, ABCWO, Kavali for their irregularities and for violation of A.P.C.S.(Conduct) Rules, 1964.

3) The Disciplinary Authority i.e. District Collector, S.P.S.R. Nellore District has initiated disciplinary proceedings by framing articles of charges against Sri K. Ramesh, HWO, Govt.B.C.Welfare Boys Hostel, Kondapuram Village & Mandal, S.P.S.R.Nellore District and Sri Shaik Jabbar, former HWO Govt.B.C.Welfare Boys Hostel, Kondapuram Village & Mandal, S.P.S.R.Nellore District. The Disciplinary Authority i.e. Director of B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada has initiated disciplinary proceedings by framing article of charge against Sri D. Ankaiah, ABCWO(FAC), Kavali.

4) The Government have also initiated disciplinary proceedings by framing article of charge against Sri D. Ankaiah, ABCWO (Retired on 31-10-2016), Kavali. S.P.S.R.Nellore District under Rule 9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

5) All the three (3) Charged Officers have submitted their written statements of defence and denied the charges framed against them. As the explanations of the Charged Officers were not satisfied, the District Collector, S.P.S.R. Nellore has appointed the District Tribal Welfare Officer, S.P.S.R.Nellore District as Inquiry Officer to inquire into the charges framed against all three (3) Charged Officers.

6) The Inquiry Officer / District Tribal Welfare Officer, S.P.S.R.Nellore District, has submitted the inquiry report stating that the charges framed against the Charged Officers viz. Sri K. Ramesh, HWO, Sri Shaik Jabbar, HWO and Sri D. Ankaiah, ABCWO are held not proved. .

7) In the reference 10th read above, the District Collector, S.P.S.R. Nellore District has furnished the entire record of inquiry in respect of above said three (3) Charged Officers to the Director of B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada for taking necessary action.

8) In the reference 14th read above, the Director of B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada has proposed to drop further course of disciplinary action against all three (3) Charged Officers viz. (i) Sri K. Ramesh, HWO, (ii) Sri Shaik Jabbar, HWO and (iii)Sri D. Ankaiah, ABCWO(Retired), since the charges are held not proved in the regular inquiry, in the above disciplinary case.

9) After careful examination of the matter with reference to the record of inquiry, the Government hereby order to drop further action against all three (3) Charged Officers viz. (i) Sri K. Ramesh, HWO, (ii) Sri Shaik Jabbar, HWO and (iii)Sri D. Ankaiah, ABCWO(Retired), in the above disciplinary case.

10) The Director of B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada shall take further necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B.UDAYA LAKSHMI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri K. Ramesh, HWO, Govt.B.C.Welfare Boys Hostel,
Kondapuram(V&M), S.P.S.R.Nellore District.
Sri Shaik Jabbar, former HWO, Govt.B.C.Welfare Boys Hostel,
Kondapuram(V&M), S.P.S.R.Nellore District.

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Sri D. Ankaiah, ABCWO(Retired), Kavali, S.P.S.R.Nellore District.
(**Through** : The Director of B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada)
Copy to:-
The Collector & District Magistrate, S.P.S.R. Nellore District.
The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.
The Director General, ACB, A.P., Vijayawada.
The A.P.V.C., A.P.Secretariat, Velagapudi.
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